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SUBJECT:BOEING 747

REF: LIBREVILLE 1687

1. AF/C DESK OFFICER AGAIN DISCUSSED STATUS OF 747 NEGOTIATIONS WITH ROBERT DAMM, GREYHOUND LEASING VP. DAMM SAID THAT GREYHOUND STILL INTERESTED IN OBTAINING EXIMBANK INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR WAR AND CONFISCATION RISK. IN ALL OTHER RESPECTS, DEAL IS CLOSE TO CONSUMATION, ALL PARTIES HAVING COME TO AGREEMENT ON THE FINANCIAL TERMS. WHEN ASKED WHETHER EXIMBANK RESPONSE, THEN, WAS KEY TO CONCLUDING SALE, DAMM HESITATED TO SAY YES, BUT SAID THAT HE WANTED TO PRESENT AS STRONG A DEAL AS POSSIBLE TO GREYHOUND'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

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2. IN SPITE OF BOEING'S AND GREYHOUND'S DESIRE FOR OBTAINING EXIMBANK COVERAGE, ONLY WRITTEN REQUEST HAS COME IN FORM OF TELEX FROM BOEING (WHO IS ONLY SMALL PARTNER IN FINANCING SYNDICATE). EXIMBANK ASKED DAMM TO SUBMIT WRITTEN REQUEST EXPLICITLY STATING TYPE OF INSURANCE DESIRED AND IMPORTANCE GREYHOUND ATTACHES TO EXIM INVOLVEMENT. CHRISTOPHER

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